



SC Annual School  
Report Card  
Summary

Sangaree Middle School  
BERKELEY COUNTY  
Grades: 6-8 Enrollment: 784  
Principal: Margaret Day  
Superintendent: Dr. Rodney Thompson  
Board Chair: Dr. Kent Murray

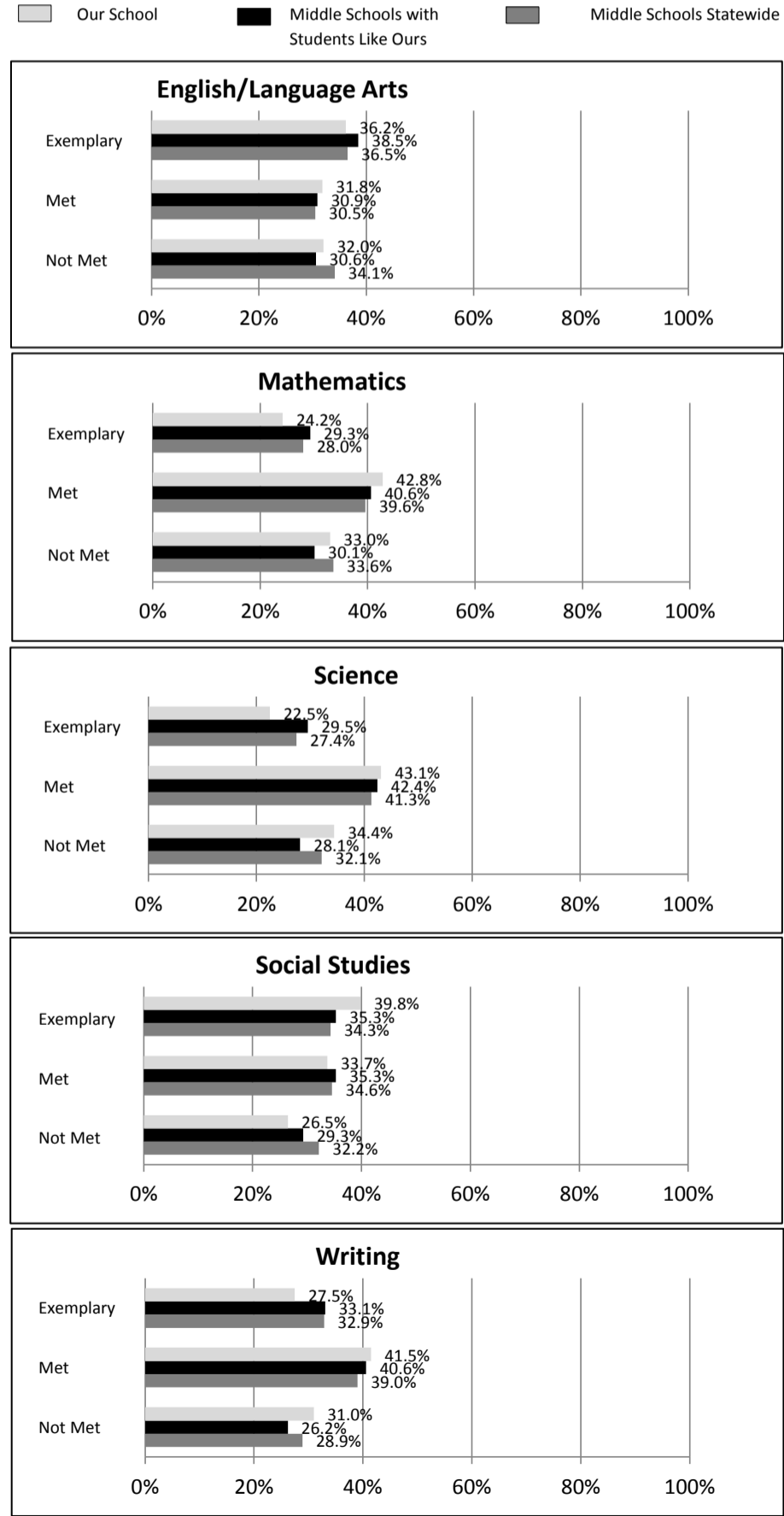
PERFORMANCE		Comprehensive detail, including definitions of ratings, performance criteria, and explanations of status, is available on <a href="http://www.ed.sc.gov">www.ed.sc.gov</a> and <a href="http://www.eoc.sc.gov">www.eoc.sc.gov</a> as well as school and school district websites. Printed versions are available from school districts upon request.					
YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM		
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator	
2014	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	C	N/A	
2013	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	C	N/A	
2012	Average	Average	N/A	SILVER	B	N/A	

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
6	17	34	2	0

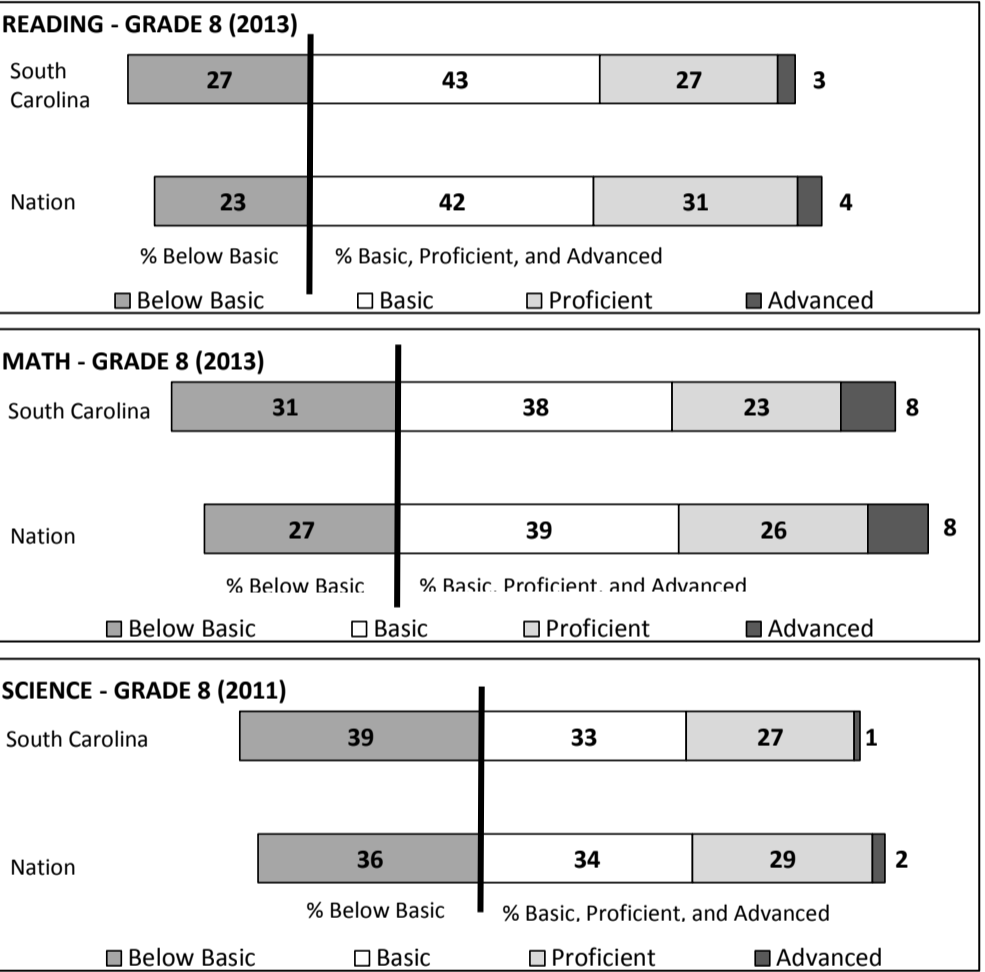
\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 04/27/2015. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

SC PASS PERFORMANCE



NAEP\*

\*Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level.  
Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



END OF COURSE TESTS - 2014

% of Students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	100.0%	98.6%
English 1	96.3%	95.8%
Biology 1	N/A	N/A
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A
All Subjects	97.9%	98.3%

SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

Abbreviations Key

N/A-Not Applicable	N/AV-Not Available	N/C-Not Collected	N/R-Not Reported	I/S-Insufficient Sample	TBD-To Be Determined
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BERKELEY COUNTY  
SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle Schools
Students (n = 784)				
Students Enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	43.8%	Up from 30.7%	33.7%	26.0%
Retention rate	1.0%	Up from 0.4%	0.9%	0.6%
Attendance rate	96.8%	Up from 95.7%	95.9%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	22.2%	Up from 21.0%	21.7%	19.4%
With disabilities	12.9%	Down from 13.8%	13.1%	12.8%
Older than usual for grade	7.0%	Up from 6.4%	4.7%	4.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.8%	Down from 0.9%	0.6%	0.4%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n = 47)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	48.9%	Up from 46.5%	62.5%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	70.2%	Down from 79.1%	80.7%	75.9%
Teachers returning from previous year	84.2%	Up from 83.8%	86.7%	85.4%
Teacher attendance rate	95.7%	Up from 94.2%	94.9%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$46,538	Up 0.9%	\$48,344	\$47,081
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	9.9%	Up from 0.0%	4.7%	5.8%
Professional development days/teacher	18.4 days	Down from 19.4 days	11.0 days	10.6 days
School				
Principal's years at school	4.0	Up from 3.0	4.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	24.1 to 1	Down from 25.8 to 1	22.9 to 1	21.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	92.0%	Up from 89.4%	89.7%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No change	98.9%	99.0%
Character development program	Excellent	No change	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$4,482	Down 17.7%	\$7,397	\$7,616
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	70.0%	No change	62.7%	62.0%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	68.5%	Up from 68.0%	61.6%	61.3%
ESEA composite index score	75.9	No change	80.0	77.9

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.  
\*\*Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	47	242	27
Percent satisfied with learning environment	76.6%	65.3%	96.3%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	85.1%	66.3%	92.6%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	75.1%	81.2%	61.6%

\*Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The 2013-2014 school year – our 10 year anniversary -- has been a phenomenal one at Sangaree Middle School. It has been another challenging year as we implemented the instructional units in math and ELA that are tied to the Common Core State Standards. Our staff continues to raise the level of rigor in all areas of the curriculum by implementing new instructional strategies to actively engage students in learning. Our Professional Learning Communities have strengthened as a result of this focus on CCSS units.

Our Making Middle Grades Work focus teams have been hard at work organizing “Data Buddies” to help students set realistic goals based upon performance, hosting family events such as Family Movie, and providing transition activities for incoming and outgoing students. Our leadership team conducted a staff book study on Do You Know Enough About Me To Teach Me? By Stephen Peters.

As we continue our focus on continuous improvement, we have seen the results in student successes. This year, 16 students were recognized as Junior Scholars and 3 as Duke TIP Scholars, and we have a total of 115 students in Junior Beta Club. Our arts department continues to garner awards and recognition with numerous students winning ribbons for visual arts in the Coastal Carolina Fair, 19 students participating in All County Chorus, 33 in All County Junior Orchestra (comprising more than 1/3 of the orchestra!), 14 in All County Junior Band, 9 in Regional Band, and19 in Beginner All County Band. It is no wonder that our 6th grade orchestra received a “Superior” Rating in Concert Festival with our 7/8th receiving “Excellent” and our band received a “Superior” Rating. Additionally, our band received the prestigious Outstanding Performance Award for the 10th consecutive year! Other student accomplishments include 1st place in the middle school accuracy competition and 2nd place in the “Best of the Best” in the Trebuchet competition, two 3rd place finishes for Level II Social Studies and Level II Composition at the 2014 Trident Technical College Quest competition and an “All American” Wrestler! Service learning is a vital part of our program where students give back to the community through the Jr. Beta fund drive for the Make-A-Wish foundation and our supply drive for the Callen Lacey Home. Additionally, we are proud to say that we partnered with Google to provide an after school coding camp and that we garnered a Boeing/MUSC fitness grant! We are also very proud of our community partnerships that help us to achieve our mission. Our students continue to experience success in all aspects of our school.

We ended this year with the implementation of BYOD (Bring your own Device) and will continue to strive for technology integration in our classrooms.

Mrs. Margaret Day, Principal  
Fleming, SIC Chair

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